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Secretary of Agriculture

AN APPLICATION REQUESTING A CERTIFICATE OF PROTECTION FOR AN ALLEGED NOVEL VARIETY OF SEXUALLY REPRODUCED PLANT, THE NAME AND DESCRIPTION OF WHICH ARE CONTAINED IN THE APPLICATION AND EXHIBITS, A COPY OF WHICH IS HEREUNTO ANNEXED AND MADE A PART HEREOF, AND THE VARIOUS REQUIREMENTS OF LAW IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED HAVE BEEN COMPLIED WITH, AND THE TITLE THERETO IS, FROM THE RECORDS OF THE PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION OFFICE, IN THE APPLICANT(6) INDICATED IN THE SAID COPY, AND WHEREAS, UPON DUE EXAMINATION MADE, THE SAID APPLICANT(S) IS (ARE) ADJUDGED TO BE ENTITLED TO A CERTIFICATE OF PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION UNDER THE LAW.

NOW, THEREFORE, THIS CERTIFICATE OF PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION IS TO GRANT UNTO THE SAID APPLICANT(S) AND THE SUCCESSORS, HEIRS OR ASSIGNS OF THE SAID APPLICANT(S) FOR THE TERM OF "Eighteen" FARS FROM THE DATE OF THIS GRANT, SUBJECT TO THE PAYMENT OF THE REQUIRED FEES AND PERIODIC REPLENISHMENT OF VIABLE BASIC SEED OF THE VARIETY IN A PUBLIC REPOSITORY AS PROVIDED BY LAW, THE RIGHT TO EXCLUDE OTHERS FROM SELLING THE VARIETY, OR OFFERING IT FOR SALE, OR REPRODUCING IT, OR IMPORTING IT, OR EXPORTING IT, OR USING IT IN PRODUCING A HYBRID OR DIFFERENT RIETY THEREFROM, TO THE EXTENT PROVIDED BY THE PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION ACT.

B UNITED STATES SEED OF THIS VARIETY (1) SHALL BE SOLD BY VARIETY NAME ONLY AS OF CERTIFIED SEED AND (2) SHALL CONFORM TO THE NUMBER OF GENERATIONS BY THE OWNER OF THE RIGHTS. (84 STAT. 1542, AS AMENDED, 7 U.S.C. 2321 ET SEQ.)

BARLEY

'Corniche'

In Esstimony Waterroot, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Plant Variety Protection Office to be affixed at the City of Washington, D. C. this 30th day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ninety-one.

Kaneld H Evans Commissioner Plant Variety Podection Office

Secretary of September Adig AN

15. DOES THE APPLICANT(S) SPECIFY THAT SEED OF THIS VARIETY BE SOLD BY VARIETY NAME ONLY AS A CLASS OF CERTIFIED 1 Certified 1 Registered 1 Foundation 18. DID THE APPLICANT(S) PREVIOUSLY FILE FOR PROTECTION OF THE VARIETY IN THE U.S.7 'Yes," give date) 19. HAS THE VARIETY BEEN RELEASED, OFFERED FOR SALE, OR MARKETED IN THE U.S. OR OTHER COUNTRIES ? Yes (If "Yes," give names of countries and dates) NATIONAL LISTED IN U.K. SEPTEMBER 1985 OFFERED FOR SALE IN U.K. 1986 20. The applicant(s) declare(s) that a viable sample of basic seeds of this variety will be furnished with the application and will be replenished upon request in accordance with such regulations as may be applicable. The undersigned applicant(s) is (are) the owner(s) of this sexually reproduced novel plant variety, and believe(s) that the variety is distinct, uniform, and stable as required in Section 41, and is entitled to protection under the provisions of Section 42 of the Plant Applicant(s) is (are) informed that false representation herein can jeopardize protection and result in penalties. SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT 23rd April 1986 DATE APPLICANT SIGNATURE 23rd April 1986

CORNICHE

EXHIBIT A

Pedigree: Diamant x 14029/64 x F2 (Emir x Hor 3270 x 46132/68)

Corniche was bred using the traditional pedigree method. The variety has been stable and uniform over several generations.

EXHIBIT B

Corniche is a medium to short, two row, mid season Spring Barley of very high yield, disease resistance and exceptionally high malting quality.

Corniche is most similar to Triumph. Corniche differs from Triumph in mildew resistance, hordein composition and malting quality. Please see data below.

Mildew resistance

Triumph has mildew resistance genes Mla7 and MlAB

Corniche has mildew resistance genes Mla12 and MlAb

Hordein composition

Classified according to their pattern of D and C hordeins and then sub-divided according to their B hordein pattern.

Triumph is in two groups - 10.2 and 10.3

Corniche is in group 12.1

Malting quality

Results from 15 trials over two years

Hot Water Extract -LO/kg

Triumph

303.68

Corniche

306.75

Coefficient of variation

1.139%

Least significant difference

(5%) 2.57



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Dear Mr Bassi

SPECIFIC RESISTANCE TO MILDEW IN CORNICHE, CAMARGUE AND TRIUMPH

I have been asked by Dr Bayles to send you information about the resistance genes and techniques used to determine the resistance genes in the spring barley varieties Corniche, Camargue and Triumph.

RESISTANCE GENES

The resistance alleles and genes in the three varieties are:

Corniche Mla12, Ml(Ab) (BMR5, 6c) Camargue Mla13, Ml(Ab) (BMR10?, 6c) Triumph Mla7, Ml(Ab) (BMR6b, 6c)

The designations for the resistance alleles or genes are those used throughout Europe. The barley mildew resistance (BMR) factor designations are those used in the UK by the United Kingdom Cereal Pathogen Virulence Survey. The information has been published: J K M Brown and J H Jorgensen, A Catalogue of Mildew Resistance Genes in European Barley Varieties, In Integrated Control of Cereal Mildews: Virulence Patterns and their Change, edited by J H Jorgensen, published by Cisp National Laboratory, Roskilde.

TECHNIQUES

Corniche was first listed by NIAB in 1986, and Triumph in 1980. Camargue was first listed by the Scottish Agricultural College in 1986.

Tests are carried out on detached leaves, incubated on 0.5% water agar containing 100ppm benzimidazole. The detached leaves are inoculated with mildew spores in a settling tower. The tests are incubated at 15° C with 16 hours of light in each 24 hour period for about 10 days.

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The differential varieties currently used are:

Golden Promise	None	(BMRO)
Astrix	Mlh, Mlra	(BMR1a,1b)
Zephyr	Mlg, Ml (CP)	(BMR2a,2b)
Midas	Mla6	(BMR3)
Lofa Abed	Ml(La)	(BMR4)
Hassan	Mla12	(BMR5)
Hordeum 1063	Mlk	(BMR6a)
Porter	Mla7	(BMR6b)
Triumph	Mla7, Ml(Ab)	(BMR6b,6c)
Natasha	Mla12, Ml(Ab)	(BMR5,6c)
Tyra	Mla1	(BMR7)
Simon	Mla9, Mlk	(BMR8)
Apex	mlo	(BMR9)
Digger	Mla13	(BMR10a)
Sherpa	Mla13 +?	(BMR10b,+?)
Camargue	Mla13, Ml(Ab)	(BMR6c, 10?)

You will see that Camargue and Triumph are listed as differential varieties. This is because they were the first commercial varieties with those combinations of resistance genes.

DIFFERENTIAL ISOLATES

The differential isolates currently used are:

CC66	BMV2,3,4,6a,6c,8
CC93b	BMV2,3,5,6c,7
CC107	BMV2,6a,6b,6c,8
CC99	BMV2,4,5,6b,6c
CC137	BMV2,4,5,6a,6b,7
CC133	BMV2,3,6a,6b,6c,10
CC201	BMV2,4,5,6a,6b,10
CC79	BMV2,5,6a,6b,6c

The barley mildew virulence factors correspond to the resistance gene and allele designations.

I also enclose a copy of the 1990 UKCPVS report for Mildew of Barley.

I hope this provides you with the information you require.

Yours sincerely

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MILDEW OF BARLEY

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The frequencies of barley powdery mildew virulence factors corresponding to the race-specific resistances used in barley cultivars in Britain continued to be high for the resistances which are most widely utilised (BMR 1, 2, 5, 6a, 6b and 6c), and static or increasing for those more recently introduced or less widely utilised (BMR 4, 7, 8 and 10). There was no evidence of increased virulence for BMR 9 (mlo), which continues to provide effective resistance. The most frequent virulence phenotypes were complex, with about 70% of isolates carrying 5 or more virulence factors.

INTRODUCTION

The barley powdery mildew surveys in 1988 and 1989 (Slater et al. 1989, Brown et al. 1990) indicated that the resistance genes currently used in commercial cultivars of barley in the UK do not in general provide effective resistance to the disease. The exception was barley mildew resistance factor 9 (BMR 9), controlled by allele mlo.

The 1990 survey continued with the aims of:

- 1. Monitoring changes in the frequencies of virulences matching the mildew resistances in currently grown cultivars.
- 2. Determining the specific resistances in new cultivars and estimating the frequencies of common combinations of virulences for the compilation of variety diversification schemes.

Work for the barley powdery mildew survey moved to NIAB, Cambridge in 1990, and virulence testing began in July. This was too late in the season for the receipt of infected barley leaves from UKCPVS participants. The 1990 survey was carried out using samples from variety trials plots and on single colony isolates from seedlings of Golden Promise exposed on a high roof at NIAB. The source of the isolates is therefore limited, and not necessarily representative of the barley powdery mildew population in Britain.

METHODS

Isolates were derived from samples of infected leaves taken in July from variety trials plots at three sites; NIAB, Cambridge (116 isolates), Headley Hall, West Yorkshire (13 isolates), and Dunmow, Essex (19 isolates). Several samples were taken from the same cultivar at each site, making in effect only 19 samples from different cultivars at different sites. The source cultivars were; Annie (MMG 8817/5, BMRx), Blenheim,

Corniche and Prisma (BMR5,6c), Chad and Decor (BMR6c,7?), Digger (BMR10a), Hart (BMR9), Heritage (BMR10?), Klaxon (BMR4,6a,6b), Nomad (BMR4?,8), Nugget and Tyne (BMR4?,10?), Shirley (BMR4,5), Target (BMR1), and Triumph (BMR6b,6c).

Single colony isolates were taken from seedlings of Golden Promise, exposed on a high roof at NIAB, Cambridge in July and October (roof isolates). A total of 100 isolates was tested from each of these months.

All isolates were tested for virulence on the detached leaves of the differential cultivars listed in Table 1. These cultivars carry the resistances known to have been used in barley cultivars grown in the UK. However, Astrix (BMR1a,1b) did not differentiate BMV 1a from 1b, and Zephyr (BMR2a,2b) did not differentiate BMV 2a and 2b. The frequencies of these virulence factors have been very high in previous years (Slater et al. 1989, Brown et al. 1990). Virulence was determined according to the infection types of Moseman et al. 1965.

Table 1. Differential cultivars used for determining virulence factors in isolates of barley powdery mildew in 1990.

BMR Group	European code*	Resistance gene	Cultivar
0			Golden Promise
1a, 1b 2a, 2b 3 4 5 6a	Ha, Ra We Sp La Ar	Mlh, Mlra Mlg, Ml(CP) Mla6 Ml(La) Mla12	Astrix Zephyr Midas Lofa Abed Hassan
6b 6b, 6c 5, 6c 7 6a, 8 9 10a	Kw Ly Ly, Ab Ar, Ab Al Kw, MC Mlo Ru	Mlk Mla7 Mla7, Ml(Ab) Mla12, Ml(Ab) Mla11 Mla9 mlo Mla13	Hordeum 1063 Porter Triumph Natasha Tyra Simon Apex Digger
10b + ? 6c, 10	Ru, ? Ab, Ru	Mla13, ? Ml(Ab), Mla13	Sherpa Camargue

^{*} Jørgensen, 1987

RESULTS

Virulence Frequencies

The frequencies of BMV 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6a, 6b, 6c, 7, 8 and 10 amongst the leaf and roof isolates are given in Table 2. For the leaf sample, the frequencies have been expressed in two ways; in the first, all virulences from all isolates have been included irrespective of the source cultivar, and in the second, the virulences from each isolate matching the resistances of its source cultivar have been excluded. That is, only

unnecessary virulences have been considered. Since the resistance factors in Annie are not known, isolates from this cultivar have been excluded from the second presentation.

Considering only unnecessary virulences reduces the selective influence of host resistance on the frequencies of the virulence factors in the leaf sample. This is probably more representative of the mildew population in the areas from which leaf samples were taken. The frequencies of BMV 4, 5, 6c, 7, 8 and 10 are lower when only unnecessary virulences are considered, indicating selection for these virulences by the host cultivars.

BMV 3, 4, 7, 8 and 10 occurred at frequencies of about 20% in most of the samples, and the corresponding resistances may still have some effectiveness. BMV 1, 2, 5, 6a and 6b were all found at high frequencies. None of the isolates were virulent on Apex (BMR 9), including 7 isolates from Hart (BMR 9).

The limited source of the samples used in the 1990 survey means that changes from previous years in the frequencies of particular virulence factors must be viewed with caution. The frequencies of BMV 1, 2, 6a, 6b, 7 and 8 showed little change rom 1989. BMV 3 may have declined slightly, probably because of the absence of BMR 3 from current cultivars (Slater et al. 1989). BMV 4 and 5 were also recorded at lower frequencies in 1990, but since cultivars with BMR 4 and 5 are widely grown at present this may be sampling error. BMV 10 showed an increase, corresponding to the increased acreage of Pipkin.

Table 2. Frequency of virulence factors in isolates from infected leaves (leaf sample), and in random samples of single colony isolates formed by airborne spores (roof samples).

		Frequency of virulence factors (%)					
Virulence	Leaf samp	le, July 1990	Roof sample	Roof sample			
factor	All data	Unnecessary * virulence	July 1990	Oct. 1990			
1	64	72					
2	94	88					
3	10	11	16	17			
4	39	14	22	20			
5	63	41	60	59			
6a	80	67	69	64			
6b	61	54	79	68			
6c	60	21	65	66			
7	25	14	6	5			
8	22	1 4	9	17			
10	44	12	17	33			
Number of isolates	146	136	100	100			

Includes virulence factors only where they were unnecessary for virulence on the host cultivar.

Complexity of Isolates

Table 3 shows the number of virulence factors carried by the mildew isolates. Most isolates were complex, with at least 69% of them in each sample carrying 5 or more virulence factors.

Table 3. Number of virulence factors (BMV 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6a, 6b, 6c, 7, 8 and 10) carried by isolates of barley mildew.

•	Frequency of isolates (%)				
No. of BMV factors	Leaf sample July 1990	Roof sample July 1990	Roof sample Oct. 1990		
0	0	0	1		
1	1	1	2		
2	0	0	2		
3	4	16	7		
4	. 9	12	14		
5	25	25	28		
6	29	33	30		
7	29	- 11	14		
8	3	2	1		
9	0	0	0		
10	0	0	0		
11	0	0	0		
No. of isolates tested	146	100	100		

Frequencies of Virulence Phenotypes

The frequencies of the most common virulence phenotypes defined by BMV 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6a, 6b, 6c, 7, 8 and 10 in the leaf and roof samples are shown in Table 4. These common phenotypes represented about 45% of the total number of isolates in each sample, with the remaining phenotypes recorded only once or twice.

The frequencies of particular phenotypes varied between the two types of sample. Phenotypes BMV1,6b,6c, BMV1,2,5,6b,6c, and BMV1,2,5,6a,6b,6c were the commonest phenotypes in the roof samples, but were relatively infrequent in the leaf sample. The most frequent phenotype in the leaf sample, BMV 1,2,6a,6b,6c,8,10 was relatively infrequent in the roof samples.

Several of the most frequent phenotypes were those with the greatest number of virulence factors. The commonest phenotype in the leaf sample (BMV1,2,6a,6b,6c,8,10) was also the most common in 1988 and 1989 (Slater et al. 1989, Brown et al. 1990). Most of the common phenotypes are virulent on cultivars in more than one diversification group, but the phenotype BMV1,2,4,5,6a,6b,6c,8,10, detected for the first time last year (Brown et al. 1990) and avirulent only on cultivars with BMR 3 or 7, was found in only one isolate.

Table 4. Frequencies of the most common barley mildew virulence phenotypes, defined by BMV 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6a, 6b, 6c, 7, 8 and 10.

	Frequenc	of virulence phe	notype (%)
BMV phenotype		Roof sample July 1990	
2, 5, 6a, 6c	6	0	0
1, 2, 5, 6a, 6c	4	2	0
1, 2, 4, 5, 6a, 6c	6	2	3
i, 6b, 6c	0 -	. 11	2
1, 2, 5, 6b, 6c	1	5	8
1, 2, 5, 6a, 6b, 6c	2	18	8 .
2, 5, 6b, 6c, 7	5	0	0
1, 2, 4, 5, 6a, 6b, 10	6	· 0	0
1, 2, 6a, 6b, 6c, 10	6	. 4	. 5
1, 2, 6a, 6b, 8, 10	3	1	8
1, 2, 6a, 6b, 6c, 8, 10	12	2	3
Total no. of phenotypes	58	51	50
No. of isolates tested	146	100	100

The complexity of the common virulence phenotypes increases the difficulty of maintaining a practical variety diversification scheme for barley. The following virulence combinations which match the resistances in two diversification groups (in addition to group 0) were recorded at high frequencies:

BMR	2, 4	and BMR	5	(Diversification	groups	3	and	5)
BMR	6b, 6c	and BMR	8	(Diversification	groups	6	and	8)
BMR	6b, 6c	and BMR	10	(Diversification	groups	6	and	4)
BMR	8	and BMR	10	(Diversification	groups	8	and	4)

Given the limited source of the isolates used in this year's survey, these data are an inadequate basis for recommendations of changes to the diversification scheme. A high risk of the spread of mildew between cultivars in diversification groups 4 and 8 is already indicated.

Resistance Factors in New Cultivars

The resistance factors in cultivars currently included in the barley mildew variety diversification scheme are given in Table 5.

Heritage was originally thought to have BMR 9 because of its parentage, but the results of detached leaf tests to determine the virulence of isolates from Heritage suggested that it has BMR 10. Further tests using differential mildew isolates confirmed this.

Additional tests on Shirley suggest that it has BMR4,5.

Table 5. Mildew resistance factors of cultivars in the Barley Mildew Diversification Scheme.

		•			
		BMR 8		BMR 4,6b	
BMR 0	(17)	Manitou	(W)	Doublet	(S)
Clarine	(W)	Poacher	(W)	Domitee	(5)
Gaulois	(W)	Poacher	(11)	BMR 4,6a,6b	
Halcyon	(W)	num 0		Klaxon	(S)
Maya	(W)	BMR 9	(0)	KIAXOII	(5)
Pastoral	(W)	Alexis	(S)	nm 4 C- 7	
Paris	(W)	Atem	(S)	BMR 4,6a,7	(0)
Plaisant	(W)	Hart	(S)	Regatta	(S)
Posaune	(W)	Redstart ?	(S)		
Shire	(W)			BMR 5,6c	
Sprite	(W)	BMR 10		Blenheim	(S)
Target	(W)	Pipkin	(W)	Corniche	(S)
G. Promise	(S)	Digger	(S)	Natasha	(S)
		Heritage ?	(S)	Prisma	(S)
BMR 1		Sherpa (+?)	(S)	:	
Finesse	(W)	Tyne (+4?)	(S)	BMR 6b,6c	
Igri	(W)		. •	Triumph	(S)
•		BMR 1,2,3			
BMR 2	-	Kira	(W)	BMR 6c,7?	
Fighter	(W)	Torrent	(W)	Chad	(S)
Frolic	(W)			Decor	(S)
Gypsy	(W)	BMR 1,2,5			
Magie	(W)	Puffin	· (W)	BMR 6c, 8	· ·
Melusine	(W)			Nomad	(S)
Mimosa	(W)	BMR 2,4			•
Panda	(W)	Golf	(S)	BMR 6c,10	
			(-,	Camargue	(S)
BMR 2,6b		BMR 4,5			,-,
Volga	(S)	Shirley	(S)	UNKNOWN	
, o 1 9 a	(5)	Division of	(5)	Annie	(S)
BMR 5		BMR 4,6a		Forester	(S)
Sarah	(W)	Oboe	(S)	Nugget (4?,10?)	(S)
		oboe	(5)	Nugget (4:, 10:)	(3)
Waveney	(W)	·			**
BMR 6b					
Marinka	(W)				
HOW THE	(11)				

⁽W) winter barley, (S) spring barley

CONCLUSIONS

The results of the 1990 barley powdery mildew survey follow the trends identified in previous years. That is:

- 1. High frequencies of virulence factors matching specific resistances which have been used for a number of years in barley cultivars grown in Britain.
- 2. Increasing frequencies of virulence factors matching more recently introduced resistance factors.
- 3. Increasing complexity of the barley powdery mildew population.

BMR 3, 4, 7, 8 and 10 may still have some effectiveness in controlling mildew, particularly combinations of BMR 4 (Ml(La)) with BMR 3, 7, 8 or 10 (Mla6, Mla1, Mla9 and Mla13 respectively). However, it is very likely that the mildew population will adapt rapidly to any new combinations. BMR 9 remains effective in Britain.

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OBJECTIVE DESCRIPTION OF VARIETY

EXHIBIT C (Barley)

INSTRUCTIONS: See Reverse. BARLEY (HORDEUM VULGARE)	
NAME OF APPLICANT(S) SHARPES INTERNATIONAL SEEDS LIMITED	FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY
HORST CONSON COOPER TRABER LIMITED BOOKER SEEDS EXMATED	PVPO NUMBER O / O O 1 1 2
ADDRESS (Street and No. or R.F.D. No., City, State, and ZIP Code) Hurst Crop Research and Development Unit,	VARIETY NAME OR TEMPORARY
Gt. Domsey Farm, Feering, COLCHESTER. Essex.	DESIGNATION CORNICHE
Place the appropriate number that describes the varietal character of this variety in th	
Place a zero in first box (i.e. 0 8 9 or 0 9) when number is either 99 or less o	r y or less.
	1 = PROSTRATE 2 = SEMIPROSTRATE 3 = ERECT
2. MATURITY (50% Flowering):	
1 = EARLY (California Mariout) 2 = MIDSEASON (Betzes) 3 = LATE (Frontier)	and the second second second second
No. of days Earlier than	3 = CONQUEST 4 = DICKSON
No, of days Later than 5 = PIROLINE 6 = PRIMUS 7 = UNITAN	
3, PLANT HEIGHT (From soil level to top of head):	
1 = SEMIDWARF 2 = SHORT (California Mariout) 3 = MEDIUM TALL (Betzes)	4 = TALL (Conquest)
Cm. Shorter than	
Cm. Taller than	
4. STEM:	
Exertion (Flag to spike at maturity): 3 = 10 - 15 cm. 1 = 0 - 3 cm. 2 = 3 - 10 cm. 2 Anthocyanin:	1 = ABSENT 2 = PRESENT
O 4 NO. OF NODES (Originating from node above ground)	in the second of
Collar Shape: 1 = CLOSED 2 = V-SHAPED 3 = OPEN 1 Shape of Neck:	1 = STRAIGHT 2 = SNAKY 3 = OTHER (Specify)
5. LEAF: 2 Basal leaf sheath (seedling): 1 = GLABROUS 2 = PUBESCENT. 1 Position of flag I	1 = DROOPING enf (at boot stage): 2 = UPRIGHT
2 Waxiness: 1 = ABSENT (Glossy) 2 = SLIGHTLY WAXY 3 = WAXY	t (First leaf below flag leaf)
CM. LENGTH (First leaf below flag leaf) 2 Anthocyanin in le	eaf sheath: 1 = ABSENT 2 = PRESENT
1	= LAX 2 = ERECT (Not dense) = ERECT (Dense)
12 Waxiness:	= ABSENT (Glossy) 2 = SLIGHTLY WAXY = WAXY
3= 1/4 - 1/2 OF HEAD	dge): 1 = LACKING 2 = FEW 3 = COVERED
7. GLUME: 1 = 1/3 OF LEMMA 2 = 1/2 OF LEMMA 2 Hairs: 1 = NO 2 Hairs: 1 = NO	NE 2 = SHORT 3 = LONG
Hair covering: 1 = NONE 2 = RESTRICTED TO MIDDLE 3 = CONFINED TO BA	AND 4 = COMPLETELY COVERED
Awns: 1 = LESS THAN EQUAL TO LENGTH OF GLUMES 2 = EQUAL TO LENGT 3 = MORE THAN EQUAL TO LENGTH OF GLUMES	TH OF GLUMES
Awn Surface: 1 = SMOOTH 2 = SEMISMOOTH 3 = ROUGH	

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8. LEMMA:		The state of the s			
5 Awn: 3=	AWNLESS 2 = AWNLETS ON CENTRAL R SHORT ON CENTRAL ROWS, AWNLETS ON LONG (longer than spike) 6 = HOODED		RAL ROWS HORT (less than equal to length of spike)		
Awn Surface:	0 = AWNLESS 1 = SMOOTH 2 = SEMIS	MOOTH 3 = ROUGH			
7 Teeth: 1 = Al	BSENT 2 = FEW 3 = NUMEROUS	1 Hair: 1 = ABSE	ENT 2 = PRESENT		
2 Shape of base:	1 = DEPRESSION 2 = SLIGHT CREASE 3 = TRANSVERSE CREASE	2 Rachilla Hairs:	1 = SHORT 2 = LONG		
9. STIGMA:					
2 Hairs: 1 = FE	W 2 = MANY				
10. SEED:					
2 Type: 1 = NA	AKED 2 = COVERED	1 Hairs on Ventral F	furrow: 1 = ABSENT 2 = PRESENT		
	SHORT (8.0 mm.) 2 = SHORT TO MIDLONG MIDLONG TO LONG (9.0 - 10.5 mm.)		IDLONG (8.5 - 9.5 mm.) RECELV ONG (10.0 mm.)		
3 Wrinkling of hu	ll: 1 = NAKED 2 = SLIGHTLY WRINKLE	D 3 = SEMIWRINKLED	L SAME		
Aleurone Color	: 1 = COLORLESS (White or Yellow) 2 =	BLUE	000 SEEDS		
0 0 PERCENT	ABORTIVE	4 0 GMS, PER 10	000 SEEDS		
11. DISEASE: (0 = No	ot Tested, 1 = Susceptible, 2 = Resistant)		vi (76/15		
0 SEPTORIA	0 NET BLOTCH	O SPOT BLOTCH	POWDERY MILDENMS		
1 LOOSE SMUT	0 BACTERIAL BLIGHT	O COVERED SMUT	O FALSE LOOSE SMUT		
O STEM RUST	2 LEAF RUST	O SCAB	O SCALD		
O AY	0 BSMV	0 BYDV	OTHER (Specify) PUCCINIA STRIIFORMIS		
12. INSECT: (0 = Not 1	tested, 1 = Susceptible, 2 = Resistant)				
0 GREEN BUG	O ENGLISH GRAIN APHID	O CHINCH BUG	O ARMYWORM		
0 GRASS HOPPERS	O CERIAL LEAF BETTLE	OTHER (Specify)			
HESSIAN FLY F	BACES O GP O A	О в О с			
	0 □ 0 E	0 F 0 G			
13. CHEMICAL (0 = No	t Tested, 1 = Susceptible, 2 = Resistant)				
1 DDT	OTHER (Specify)	-			
	VARIETY MOST CLOSELY RESEMBLES THA	T SUBMITTED:			
CHARACTER	R NAME OF VARIETY CHARACTER NAME OF VARIETY				
Plant tillering	IIIIOIIII				
Leaf size	TRIUMPH Coleoptile elongation TRIUMPH				
Leaf color •	TRIUMPH Seedling pigmentation TRIUMPH				
Leaf carriage	TRIUMPH	<u>. </u>			
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COLOR: Nickerson's or any recognized color fan may be used to determine color of the described variety. FORM LPGS-470-5 (8-80) (REVERSE)

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CORNICHE

origin:

Diamant x 14029/64 x F2 Emir x Hor 3270 x 46132/68

Breeder's Designation: HVS 18707

Ear

General

- Two-row, narrow, parallel, length medium, density mediumlax; sterile spikelets divergent, length medium, rounded to square at tips.

Collar Rachis - Platform to shallow cup.

- First segment, medium to medium-long, width medium, + straight, margin hairs moderate to numerous.
Segments in mid-third, straight to weakly 'humped' in profile.

Grain

General

 Medium size, oval, skin finely wrinkled, anthocyanin pigment in lemma nerves at maturity weak to medium.

Base of lemma

- Medium to deep bevel.

Rachilla

 Length medium to medium-long; hair type long; hairs at apex medium-long.

Spicules

Absent from inner lateral nerves.

Ventral furrow

- Glabrous.

Lodicules

- 'Collar' type, intermediate to long.

Field Characters

At tillering, habit of growth semi-erect; leaf length and width medium; leaf sheaths glabrous, pigment weak to medium.

At shooting, leaf attitude erect to semi-erect.

At earing, flag leaf length and width medium, attitude semi-erect, auricle pigment medium-strong to strong.

After earing, sheath and ear glaucosity medium to medium-strong; awn tip

pigment medium-strong; neck length short.

At maturity, ears pendulous.

Reaction to DDT - Susceptible.

EXHIBIT E

BOOKER SEEDS SHARPES INTERNATIONAL SEEDS

Corniche is owned by Hurst Cunson Cooper Taber Limited.

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Company Secretary



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